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Judge Norris Backed For Appointment to Superior Court Bench

Civic organizations of Washington Township this week began organizing a movement to make known to Governor Earl Warren their desire that Judge Allen G. Norris, Centerville Justice of the Peace be appointed to a judgeship in the superior court of this county.

The Centerville Chamber of Commerce, at a luncheon meeting held Wednesday at the California Inn, unanimously endorsed a motion to "leave no stone unturned" to make known the desires of the people of Southern Alameda County in requesting the appointment of a man from this vicinity.

WILLING TO ACCEPT

Judge F. Victor Wagler, who presently serves as a superior judge in the courts at Oakland, has been recommended for the appointment as U. S. District Federal Judge and it is for that expected vacancy that residents of Washington Township are seeking the appointment of Judge Norris.

Asked as to his willingness to accept such an appointment, Judge Norris said Wednesday, "I think that the time is coming when a judge from Southern Alameda County will be named. At that time, and if the Governor should see fit to appoint me, I would gladly accept."

Though young in years, Judge Norris is one of the senior Justices of the Peace of Alameda County in terms of years of service. He has held the position as judge of the Centerville court for the past 22 years.

He has held offices in the majority of civic organizations of this district and has long been affiliated with youth groups. In 1927 he became Scoutmaster of the Centerville Boy Scout Troop and from 1934 to 1947 held the office of chairman of the Washington Township Boy Scout District. In 1947 he was elected chairman of the Oakland Area Scout Council, becoming the first man from Southern Alameda County to hold that high office.

ASKS IMMEDIATE ACTION

A. E. Alameda, who introduced the motion to the Centerville Chamber this week, stated, "A vacancy is soon to exist and we of this section of the county should not stand idly by and let our wishes be unknown. I would suggest that every organization of Washington Township forward an immediate endorsement of Judge Norris for the appointment as Superior Judge of Alameda County."

Vincent Novarra, San Francisco, was fined \$25 for shooting from a public road by Judge Allen G. Norris at the Centerville Justice Court this week.

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MISSION SAN JOSE WILL HOST STATE I.D.E.S. DELEGATES

Mission San Jose, where the first I.D.E.S. Council was founded in 1889, will be host on September 10 and 11 at a celebration to be sponsored by the Supreme Council, I.D.E.S., of California, for delegates from the 178 councils of the state.

The celebration, which will follow the pattern of the annual Holy Ghost celebrations sponsored each year by the Portuguese organizations, precedes the annual four-day convention which will be held in Oakland beginning September 12.

OPEN TO PUBLIC

Joe Perreira, chairman of the 60th anniversary celebration of the founding of the I.D.E.S. at Mission San Jose last June, said this week that arrangements for the coming two-day celebration are yet to be completed by the Supreme Council. He stated, however, that the affair would be open to the public and that several thousand persons are expected to attend.

The I.D.E.S., the first letters of a Portuguese phrase which Mr. Perreira translated as "The Divine Spirit of the Holy Ghost," was formed at Mission San Jose in June of 1889 by a handful of Portuguese farmers who came to this country from the Azores Islands.

FINANCIALLY STABLE

The organization, limited to persons of Catholic faith, was formed by the early settlers to provide a form of insurance for the families of members. From that small beginning the organization has grown to a state-wide membership of 8,714 with a capital reserve of more than two and a quarter million dollars.

Danny played four years of football at Washington High School. He lettered on the B squad the first year and lettered on the varsity team the last three seasons. He maintained a B scholarship average throughout. He was vice-president of both his sophomore and senior classes and was elected president of the Boys' W Club during the last year.

Danny will compete for a guard berth on the Santa Clara Bronco squad. He played two seasons at that spot and shifted to fullback at Washington High last fall. He was co-captain for the Huskies his final year.

Not the only football player in the Goularte family, Danny vies with brother Tony for pigskin honors. Tony, an employee at the Centerville Airport, lettered two years at the local high school before entering the Navy during the war. Later he made the varsity at Cal Poly, at San Luis Obispo, before a shoulder injury ended his gridiron career.

Danny will register at Santa Clara September 3, and will begin classes September 14.

TWO AWARDS

Duffle was awarded his scholarship by the University of California Alumni Association on both a scholastic and athletic basis.

The scholarship carries a \$150 stipend for the freshman year to be paid in four installments. If Duffle maintains a B average in his university grades during the first year, the scholarship may be extended to cover the second.

Duffle was graduated from the Washington High School last spring. He was president of the freshman class and played football for the Huskies during the 1946-47 and 1948-49 seasons.

Registration will be September 12 for Duffle, but he will be in Berkeley two days before to start fresh football practice.

MINOR INJURIES TO MOTORCYCLIST

Merle Runolfson, 17, Newark, suffered head injuries Sunday night at 11:15 when his motorcycle skidded and collided with a car driven by Fred Ayers, Niles, in front of the Hansen Lumber Company, Main Street, Niles.

Runolfson was coming into Niles from the underpass, according to Dr. E. C. Grau, attending physician, and the auto was traveling west toward the California Nursery at the time of the accident. The motorcycle skidded as Runolfson tried to avoid the auto and crashed into the side of the car.

He was taken to Fairmont Hospital with minor head injuries but was later released. Mrs. Ayers, a passenger in the car, received a cut on her forehead but did not require hospitalization.

GUEST PASTOR AT ST. JAMES CHURCH

Rev. George Ray, retired Episcopalian minister of Menlo Park, will fill the pulpit of St. James Episcopal Church in Centerville on August 21 and 28 during the absence of the rector, Rev. Arthur Freeman.

The rector left Wednesday for a month's visit with his brother in New York. On September 4 and 11 the service will be led by Douglas Mayock, lay reader.

BERNARDO QUILTS FARM BUREAU POST

Manuel J. Bernardo, Centerville, prominent agriculturist, this week announced his resignation as president of the Alameda County Farm Bureau.

Bernardo, who was elected to head the farm organization last fall, declined to state his reason for resigning except that he found it "impossible to agree with some of the policies of the Board of Directors."

Thomas J. Greer, Livermore, vice-president, assumed the chairmanship of the organization and will conduct the next meeting at the Alameda County Fair Board office in Pleasanton on Sept. 1.

"I certainly intend to maintain my membership in the Washington-Eden Farm Center of the Farm Bureau," Bernardo said yesterday.

Mr. Bernardo is a member of the Alameda County Water District board and of the board of trustees of Washington Union High School, and is a past president of the Prune and Apricot Growers Association, Berryessa local. He also served this township as constable from 1927 until 1935.

SOFTBALL TOURNEY IN FINAL WEEK; VILELA'S LEADING

The post-season tourney of the top teams of the Washington Township Softball Association is in its final stages this week with Vilela's of Irvington pitted against the Central Chevrolet club for the President's Cup.

Upsetting all pre-tourney doppers last week the "kids," as the Chevrolet club is known to the fans, dumped the seeded Kleine first-place team to win their way into the final play-off. Vilela's spilled Westvaco with little difficulty to enter the final round of the tourney.

Wednesday evening, Frank Mayer's Irvington club scorched the baselines to down Manager Larry Dutra's hard-playing Chevrolets 14 to 2. "We really had our hitting clothes on," Mayer said following the game. "That's the most hits we have been able to get in any one game all season."

These two teams are scheduled for the second game of their two-out-of-three series tonight at the high school diamond and seats in the bleachers are expected to be at a premium. The Vilela club will make every endeavor to wind up the playoff tonight and "the kids" are determined to win tonight and run out the string.

HIGHWAY OFFICER SPEAKS ON SAFETY

Sergeant Charles Sloat of the California State Highway Patrol was the guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday.

Sgt. Sloat, speaking on the subject of highway safety, warned that motorists begin exercising greater caution with the opening of school next month.

Commenting on the increasing number of night highway accidents, Sgt. Sloat stated that too many motorists "over-drive their lights."

He went on to explain that the phrase means that the drivers are traveling at a greater rate of speed than the visibility illuminated by their headlights will allow with safety.

He placed great emphasis on "defensive driving," anticipating what the other fellow might do and being ready to meet an emergency.

EXPLORER TROOP FOR CENTERVILLE SCOUTS

A special Scout troop committee meeting was held Wednesday evening at the home of George Silveira in Centerville for a discussion of the establishment of an Explorer Scout Troop.

It was decided that since it was the wish of the Scouts and their scoutmaster, the Explorer Troop would remain a part of the present troop but an Explorer unit meeting

would be held at least once a month under the direction of their own leader. Walter Texeira was appointed acting advisor for the new group.

3 LOCAL PLANTS CANNING PEACHES; ADEQUATE LABOR

The peach pack is on! The three canneries of Washington Township, the F. E. Booth Company at Centerville, the Schuckl Company plant at Niles and the Marlo Packing Company at Decoto, are now launched into their month-long season of canning peaches.

QUALITY VARIES

Brought here from the valley areas, the peaches this season are of varying quality, according to the packers, with some plants reporting the quality "good" while other plants give them a rating of only "fair."

The Marlo plant is employing approximately 200 persons on two shifts and turning out about 3,500 cases of halves and sliced peaches per day. The peach pack is expected to last a little more than a month and the plant will then shift into the canning of tomatoes.

EXPECT TOMATOES AUG. 25

The F. E. Booth plant is working one shift of from 250 to 300 employees in making a straight cling peach pack. The plant will open up with the annual tomato pack about August 25 to 29 and will run both tomatoes and peaches until some time next month when the peach season will be closed. Plant officials reported this week that an adequate supply of labor is available for both operations.

Sherman Leonard, superintendent at the Schuckl plant at Niles, said this week that the pack of freestone peaches is expected to run another four weeks here to complete the season. He stated that the 250 employees, working in two shifts, were turning out from 2,500 to 3,000 cases per day.

COMMUNICATING ON NEED OF STATE FUNDS FOR SCHOOL BUILDING PURPOSES

State Assemblyman Francis Dunn Jr., speaking before the Niles Rotary Club at their luncheon meeting at the International Kitchen yesterday, pointed out that the bond issue is in addition to \$55,000,000 already granted to local school districts.

The chairman of the Assembly Interim Committee on Education said that in 1948, when the state made the first grant available, requests for over \$276,000,000 poured in for basic classroom structures alone.

He asked the Rotary members to get behind the issue, saying the need is so great that it has come to a point where "it is either state aid or local taxation to the point of confiscation to support education on the elementary school level."

Seidel observed, "In many of these districts half-day session were necessary in primary classes throughout the last school year. Unless money is made available to these districts, the problem of adequate schoolrooms will become increasingly acute."

To be eligible for a loan under the proposition a school district must be bonded to 95 per cent of its legal bonding capacity and must be levying the legal maximum tax for operation. If, after these conditions have been met, the district can still show need for additional buildings it may qualify for a loan.

COMMITTEE HEADS
NAMED BY Y.M.I.

Lee Telles, newly elected president of Lady of Fatima, Y.M.I. Council No. 56, Mission San Jose, at the regular meeting held Wednesday evening at the I.D.E.S. Hall in Mission, appointed standing committee heads to serve during the coming year.

Named to head the various functions of the organization were: Rowan Henry and Edward L. Rose, publicity; Marvin Peixotto and George Enos, investigating; Manuel Sylvia and Joseph Perry, central committee; Manuel Guardapao, Clifford Rogers and Edward L. Rose, lapsation; Richard Meyers, Walter George and Clifford Rogers, athletic.

George Enos, Joseph Perry and Harry Rose, coordinating; Alfred Alonzo, John Gomes and William Enos, membership; and Vernon Leal and Walter Zbyzenski, visiting.

The group voted a tentative social program for the fall which will include a barbecue in September, monthly communion at Corpus Christi Church, Niles, in September, and a fall dance in November.

SECOND CASE OF POLIO STRIKES TURNER FAMILY

Polio reached out to Niles again this week and brushed against John R. Turner, son of last week's polio fatality Mrs. Leona Marie Turner.

Turner, a student at San Jose State College, is not seriously affected. However, polio continued on the upswing in the southern part of the county. Livermore counted three new cases this week, raising the southern county total to four.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM

County Health Officer Dr. James C. Malcolm did not view the situation with alarm. "Of course," Dr. Malcolm said, "it is a little unusual to have so many cases reported in one week, but I certainly can see no reason for people to become alarmed."

Referring to the Turner case, Dr. Malcolm said that it is an infrequent occurrence for polio to strike twice in the same family.

"Yet witness," he said, "the case recently in national prominence where five members of one family were affected."

Dr. Malcolm described Turner's case as quite different from that of his mother. Dr. W. D. Peterson, Highland Hospital, Oakland, agreed that Turner is in no danger, being only mildly affected.

"If it was not for the recent case in his family, and if it was winter, Turner wouldn't be here; he would be home."

MANY MILD CASES

However, the doctor pointed out that there is some danger in every polio case, however slight.

County health officials said that most people have a "touch of polio" at one time or another, but that the only cases that have come to public attention are the serious clinical ones.

K. OF C. TO HOLD INSTALLATIONS

The Knights of Columbus, Centerville Council 2692, will hold installation of officers August 25 at 8 p.m. in Parish Hall, Centerville.

District Deputy Frank Silvera and his installation team from Hayward will preside at the ceremony, and delegates from councils of the ninth and tenth districts are expected to attend.

Officers to be installed for the 1949-50 term are: Walter J. Connolly, grand knight, replacing George Kommes; Clifford Rogers, Centerville, deputy grand knight; Jack Holland, Centerville, chancellor; Manuel F. Silva, Niles, treasurer.

L. A. Mayer, Niles, recorder; George S. Rodger, Centerville, financial secretary; Mathew Whitfield, Centerville, warden; Jack Silva, Centerville, inside guard; Lee Facey, Centerville, outside guard; and George Kommes, Centerville, trustee.

The installation will be followed by entertainment and refreshments.

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The Alameda County Water District has agreed to buy the pumping rights and other property of the East Bay Municipal Utility District of Alvarado. As a result the pumping at Alvarado for use in the East Bay cities will be stopped in the near future and the drain on the underground water supply of the district, that has been going on for the past 35 years, will

come to an end."

In the social whirl a story reveals that Niles will be well represented at the San Francisco Harbor Day. Through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ford nearly a score of Niles residents are in San Francisco where they are to participate in the marine parade aboard the Ford yacht, "Ariqupe." Among those invited were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Walpert and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson, Mrs. J. R. Whipple, Miss Dorothy Plummer and J. E. Thane.

The Hayward Wrecking Company was making rapid progress in tearing down the center portion of the Masonic Home near Decoto.

The building was being razed to make room for a magnificent new administration building.

A front page article relates that . . . "The latest x-ray and fluoroscope machines were installed in the Niles Emergency Hospital by Dr. E. C. Grau."

Game Warden Fred Rogers reported that deer was "mighty scarce" and stated that hunters "will have to carry a lot of rabbits feet to get the limit."

The Florence Restaurant in Niles advertised in The Register: "Eat with Us and you will be Fat and Happy."

In the sports picture . . . the members of the Knights of Colum-

bus of the Township enjoyed a lively baseball game in Centerville with the single men beating the married men 14 to 7. Batteries for the bachelors were Ernie Pimentel and A. (Jack Rabbit) Bettencourt, and Garrett Norris, Pete Brown and Albert Vasconcelos for the married men.

Lettuce was advertised by the leading grocers of the township at three large heads for 10 cents.

LOUISA CARDOSA DIES IN SAN JOSE

Mrs. Louisa Cardosa, wife of the late Joseph Cardosa, Centerville, passed away Sunday in a San Jose hospital.

A long-time Centerville resident, Mrs. Cardosa was a member of

the Altar Society of the Holy Ghost Church in that community.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Rosida Cunha, Decoto, and Mrs. Madeline Santos, Centerville; two sons, Joseph J., Oakland, and Louis L., Centerville. She was the sister of Anton E., Frank, Joseph, George and Louis Mento, all of Sacramento.

Services were held at the Chapel of the Palms, Centerville, Tuesday morning. A requiem mass was said at the Holy Ghost Church after which she was buried in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Torres, 422 Seventh Street, Decoto, have a new addition to the family. Richard William Torres Jr. arrived July 15, weighing in at five pounds, ten ounces.

IRVINGTON BEATS HALF MOON BAY SUNDAY, 9 TO 2

The Irvington Merchants baseball team held Half Moon Bay to six hits Sunday, defeating them 9-2 at the coast city.

Berrios led the local team at the plate, garnering two hits in three tries. Shortstop Chapman hit twice in five trips, as did H. Faria. Soito got two in three times at bat, and P. Faria hit one in two. H. Faria laid the ball far and away for the only three-base hit of the sixth.

Irvington got the bulk of their hits in the first inning, pushing four runs across with three hits. They hit twice in the fourth and ninth innings.

Irvington Manager Frank Mayer said the next game for Irvington will be this Sunday at Tiburon, in Marin County. The game will start at 2 p.m.

The box score for the Half Moon Bay game:

IRVINGTON

AB R H

B. Marshall, cf	5	0	1
S. Roderick, 1b	2	1	0
L. Smith, 1b	4	0	0
R. Berrios, 2b	3	2	2
R. Chapman, ss	5	0	2
E. Rose, 3b	3	2	1
L. Fernandez, c	0	1	0
C. Soito, c	3	1	2
H. Faria, lf	5	0	2
P. Faria, rf	2	1	1
J. Garcia, rf	2	0	0
A. Dutra, p	3	1	0
Totals	37	9	11
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HALF MOON BAY			
AB R H			
Silva, 2b	3	0	0
Barsuglia, ss	3	1	0
D. Francis, lf	4	1	2
Alves, 1b	4	0	1
Loska, 3b	4	0	3
Ramagiotti, p	4	0	0
Erdanians, cf	3	0	0
Lea, c	3	0	0
Praeder, rf	3	0	0
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MISSION SAN JOSE NEWS

By LOIS BOTENBERG



WEDDING IN RENO

As a surprise to their many friends, who had been wishing for a year that she would say "let's," Gracie Meyers and her fiance, Frank Vieth, motored to Reno last Friday evening and were united in marriage by a Presbyterian minister. They were accompanied by her life-long friend, Josephine Chambers, and her husband, Ed. The August 12 ceremonies lacked just two days of being a year since the newlyweds stood for Joe and Ed when they were married here in St. Joseph's Church. The girls have been friends since grammar school days.

Mrs. Vieth wore a lovely rose colored suit, a stunning white hat, gloves and slippers, and had a white corsage of glads. Her new husband had given her a string of pearls for the occasion.

Matron Jo wore a blue suit,

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the Joe Telles home visiting Claire, Roe and the rest. Tony was in the service with Claire. They were up here to attend the Moose convention.

IN MOUNTAINS

Becky, Patty, Michael III and Leah Fern Overacker, along with Mommie and daddy (Michael J. Overacker), are vacationing on the Tahoe Trail at Fred's Place near Kyburz, Calif. Along about the end of the week Ed Chadbourne may join them for the return trip.

WILL MEET NEXT MONDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America will be a social on August 22 at the old Mission Hall. Those in charge of the social will be Aldina Garcia, Margaret Freeman and Winifred Fernandez.

RESIDING IN ALASKA

Mrs. Vieth is the daughter of Mrs. Maude Dutra, and Frank's folks are from Alma, Calif. Both the newlyweds are employed, she at Grahams in Newark and he at Permanente.

Lots of happiness, good luck and life, pals. Grace has a family of three—Richard, Evelyn and Donald—by a former marriage. Mr. Vieth has a son.

WEEK-END VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chambers motored to Loomis with the children, Ronnie and Beverly, to spend the week-end. Bev and Ronnie stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers, for the rest of the season before school starts. They spent a few weeks before at Palo Alto with Grandmother Buckingham.

NEW YORK VISITOR

Reverend Father Bourque of the Dominican Convent had a pleasant week this past one, as his sister, Georgette, from New York, was visiting him. She had been traveling all over the south and east and finally landed here. He took her to the plane in San Francisco on Tuesday for the return trip with a stop over at Boulder Dam and Las Vegas. She works at the French Consulate in New York City.

SOMETHING NEW

My, my, what a nifty looking "job" you folks have. Yes, the T. D. Witherlys have a spanking new green car to cruise around in now. Vera says it makes her nervous for a scratched fender would spoil it all. Be careful now. RETURNS HOME

Weezer Fernandez, son of Jo and Ed Chambers, who has been working at Campbell at the cannery, came home Tuesday for a short while with friend Ernest Smith.

WEDDING BELLS PLANNED

Laura Mae Medeiros, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Medeiros, informs her friends that it won't be long now before wedding bells will ring for she and Arthur (Bobby) Brown of Newark, son of the Arthur (Senior) Browns of that community. When it does happen, her big brother, Herman, and Beverly, his wife, will be their attendants. Where? Not known yet. More information in a later issue.

IN REDWOOD CITY

Grandma Wilcox spent a week in Redwood City at the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Cross.

"GOOD TO BE BACK"

Every time I turn my back something happens, and my assistants have to write me the details. While I was away on my vacation with daughter Elaine, son Norman, and granddaughters Vicki and Teri, word reached me that our "Old John," as we all affectionately called him, had passed away and also the sudden passing of Leon Turner, a one-time resident of the Mission. Both tragic. Then I get home and my gal friend (the last of our threesome) had run off to Reno without my permission and tied a ball and chain onto herself. More about that later. While at Tahoe I visited with Elaine and family, Virginia City, Emerald Bay, Fallen Leaf Lodge and a full day's trip around the lake. Teri Kamp was two on Thursday so a birthday party at the family home and on Friday Vi Thompson, a friend of the family, had a second one for her, so I was partied plenty. It was a wonderful vacation, but I am very glad to get back to the grind (?) of home and P. O. duties again. Glenn came up on Saturday and we returned by way of Sacramento for a short visit to his mom, Mrs. Etta Heintz.

RECUPERATES

Diane (Dee Dee) Santos, daughter of Tom and Ruth Santos of Burlingame, who underwent a tonsilectomy a few weeks ago, is fit as a fiddle now and getting all ready for her kindergarten year at school. They visited with "Nana" Botenber on Sunday.

ON VACATION

Mrs. Maxine Santos and children accompanied grandmother Julius Kilburn back to Monrovia to spend a few weeks vacation in the southland. Mrs. Kilburn has been here at the Santos home for a month, along with a niece.

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Martignetti of Long Beach spent Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

The first United States Congress met at New York March 4, 1789.

SCENE IN CENTERVILLE

By IRENE MENDONCA



BRIDGE-LUNCHEON

Mrs. Peggy Voorhees and Mrs. Bernice Nordvik were co-hostesses at a bridge-luncheon which was held at the Voorhees residence on Mt.

Irene Mendonca Vernon Avenue yesterday. Those present were: Harriet Buehler, Florence Buehler, Buddy Hird, Alma Searles, Peggy Cimino, Marie Logan, Beth Grimmer, Helen Moore, Frances MacGregor, Jo Walton, Harriet Thornberg, Estelle Logan, Janet Graner, Mildred Wauhah, Virginia Loze, Mildred Foster, Lucy Katzer, Marjorie Goodwin and Vera Taylor.

ATTEND K. OF C. DOINGS

Lee Facey of Santos Road, Walter Connolly of Irvington and Richard Mendonca, George Roderrick and George Kommes, all of Centerville, attended a Knights of Columbus First Degree of the Hayward Council. Among the candidates who took their first degree was George Bettencourt of Centerville.

FOURTH BIRTHDAY

Cynthia Freeman celebrated her fourth birthday Tuesday with a lawn party and luncheon. She is the daughter of Reverend and Mrs. Arthur Freeman. Children from the primary class of the Episcopal Church were invited to help Cynthia celebrate. Games were played and favors were hidden about the grounds. Luncheon was served at the close of the party.

Those present were: Lynn and Josie Ryder, Claire Lopez, Sarah and Mary Zook, Bruce and Byron McCartney, Wayne and Steven Patterson, Philip and Ronnie Buehler, John and Max Switzer, Billy Clarke, Eddie Best, Lee McIntry, Patty Kern, Jeanette Steward and Steven and Mike Sylvia.

PROUD PARENTS

A baby girl was born to the Chris Garcias on August 13 at San Jose Hospital. She has been named Sandra Lea and weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces. Mrs. Garcia is the daughter of Mrs. Wheeler of Santos Road.

ON VACATION

Mickey Nordvik, son of the Karl Nordviks of Oak Street, is returning home this evening after spending five days in San Francisco at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Levitchet. On Sunday he enjoyed very much the parade which was put on by the Moose Order and planned a visit to the zoo on Monday. The Levitchets formerly resided on Oak Street.

CLASSES PLANNED

How to give a party successfully, with emphasis on the culinary preparations, will be the theme for the new class for women at the Evening High School session which opens in September.

Mrs. Gladys Cronkite Giles of Irvington, former radio home economics commentator, will be the

instructor, according to Warren Gravestock, night principal. The class will be free to all women of Washington Township. A preliminary discussion will be held at the school next Tuesday afternoon starting at 2:30, and all women interested are asked to attend.

Classes at the night school will begin on September 26.

BODUTCHS VISIT FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bodutch of Boulder Creek have been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Sr. on Thornton Avenue. The Bodutches formerly made their home on Oak Street.

REV. FREEMAN ON VISIT

Rev. George Ray, retired clergy-

man from Menlo Park, will conduct morning prayer and preach on Sunday, August 21, at 11 a.m. at the St. James Church in Centerville. There will be no 8 o'clock service until Sunday, September 18. Church school will be held every Sunday as usual. Rev. Arthur Freeman left for a month's visit with his twin brother in New York on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Rodriguez and family returned to their home on South Main Street Sunday after spending a week vacationing. The first five days were spent at picturesque Carmel and (Continued on Page 5)

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DAY BY DAY IN DECOTO

By GRACE CAMINADA

YOUNGSTERS SURPRISED

Little Janet and Richard Seoane were a bit surprised when Daddy Joe Seoane Jr. came home last Sunday from deer hunting in the Decoto hills without a deer. When Joe left at 4:30 a.m., accompanied by Tony Dutra of Fourth Street, he promised them the ears and tail of the deer he hoped to get. Well, children, the deer hunting season isn't over yet, so there's hope.

BACK FROM VACATION

The Pierre Sloans of Eleventh Street have recently returned from a short vacation to Pinole, Calif., and to their home town in Oklahoma.

FETED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. Tedeschi of Hayward was showered with gifts last Sunday when she celebrated her 50th birthday. All those who joined in the celebration were her daughters and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Buonassisi of Lafayette and Mr. and Mrs. Rinaldo Caminada and children. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Tedeschi and daughter of San Leandro, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wagner and daughter of Castro Valley, and the honoree and her husband. Her granddaughter, Di-

ane Rae Caminada, helped blow out the candles on the birthday cake.

HOTELS TO CLUB

The Pinochle Club had its monthly meeting last Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watkins of Decoto. Sixteen hands were played with John Mara receiving the highest score, Mrs. A. Costa second and Mr. A. L. Costa the lowest. The Watkins home was decorated with lovely asters and after the card playing the guests had delicious refreshments served by the hostess. Those who were able to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. John Mara of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan of San Lorenzo, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Costa. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan.

MOTHER SUCCUMBS

Sympathy to Mrs. Joe Cunha of Eleventh Street who lost her mother, Mrs. Cardosa of Centerville, this week.

LANDS BIG ONE

Going out expecting to receive the consolation prize, Remo Caminada was quite surprised to receive instead the prize for the largest fish caught. About thirty

employees from Kraftile took off to the Golden Gate last Saturday. The largest fish caught was a 5-pound striped bass, but most of the men managed to bring home something for their day's work.

VACATION ENDS

Mrs. J. Calderia and son, Chester, spent a four-day vacation at Sacramento this past week. Upon their return both settled down to doing some canning.

RECUPERATING

Little Robert (Bobbie) Mederos is recovering nicely from recently having his tonsils removed. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mederos.

PICNIC SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Castro and son, Timmy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garcia Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garcia Sr. from Hayward, and Mr. and Mrs. Wooley and son, all enjoyed a picnic at Alum Rock Park in San Jose last Sunday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Frank Scorpiniti celebrated another year last Tuesday. A very happy birthday.

GOOD CATCH

More fishermen were out off the Golden Gate last Saturday, taking in a bit of fishing. The eight men caught a total of five salmon. Don Martin and son Donnie, Moses Silva, Johnny Torquemada, Gallo Gonzales, Ken Moore from Irvington, Harold Tomquemada and Mr. Watkins from Niles, were the ones who enjoyed themselves and received nice tans. Seems as if this crowd always has good luck with their fishing.

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

Libardo Garcia of Webster Street, Oakland, must have but one thought of our small town after Saturday night when he was robbed of his guitar, a pen and pencil set, his clothing and \$100 in cash. Mr. Garcia was offered a ride from Milpitas to Decoto from an unidentified person residing here. Upon arriving here he paid one dollar for the ride and displayed his money at the time.

He asked about sleeping accommodations here but was told by this person that it would be impossible and was invited to share the man's cabin for the night. At the cabin this person borrowed a dollar and left. Later he came back and borrowed another dollar and left. Garcia soon heard voices of two men planning to rob him. The men came into the cabin and forced him to accompany them outside, displaying a knife, a large rock and stick. He was walked from 200 to 300 yards down the S.P. right of way south of the Decoto Road and forced to strip his clothes. Throwing the clothing into a patch of weeds and threatening to pull his eyes out if he shouted and kill him if the robbery was reported, the robbers left. Garcia then dressed and reported the robbery to sheriff's deputies. What a lovely consequence from an innocent ride!!

SCOUT SWIM PARTY
Nine Boy Scouts and Scoutmaster Louis J. Fine all took time out for a day's swim at the Hayward Plunge. All enjoyed themselves immensely.

BIG SON FOR MORUAS

Mrs. Joseph Morua gave birth to a son, Donald, July 21. The boy weighed nine pounds and one ounce. The Moruas live at Route 1, Box 34, Niles.



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NEW BUSINESS OPENS ON NILES HIGHWAY

NEW NILES BUSINESS WOMAN . . . Miss Bertine Barber, who will open a gift shop September 3, making a 15-year-old dream a reality.

—Register Photo

By AL WILLIAMSON
On September 3, a new business will open in Niles.

Gardenias won't be given to each lady coming in, nor will searchlights sweep the sky in big city tradition. In fact it won't be much of an opening, as such things go, but yet it will be a very important affair for the pretty young business lady involved. It will be Bertine Barber's first large scale venture into the business world, something she has wanted to do for over 15 years.

INJURED WHILE SWIMMING

Fifteen long, weary years ago dark-haired Bertine was swimming in the San Joaquin River. She was diving, and she dived into water a little too shallow, striking her head on the bottom.

Bertine is thrilled with the prospect of her business. She is going to call the small shop next to her father's repair unit, "Bertine's Li'l House." The whole family is happy also, and everyone has been working on the structure, getting it painted, shelves installed, and in general, ready to do business.

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

It will be sort of a "gift shop," selling greeting cards, stationery, and the Dresden China pieces made by Bertine. The shop will have a circulating library also.

In one corner Bertine will have a drafting table where she will be able to continue her commercial art course, taken through a correspondence school. She hopes to finish the course that she started some time ago. She says that for the time being she will run the shop with little help from the family, but later on she hopes to have someone come in to help with the regular business while she works at her drafting table in the rear.

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REBEKAH NEWS

Mrs. Anna Bradford, Mrs. Petra Gronley and Mrs. Ivy Cull, members of Silver Star Rebekah Lodge, Irvington, attended the luncheon and business meeting of the Past Deputies Association given at the home of Mrs. Lily Carren in Hayward, Tuesday.

The next meeting of Silver Star Rebekah Lodge will be held this evening at Odd Fellows Hall in Irvington, according to Florence Dewey, noble grand.

BIBLE SCHOOL OPENS AT IRVINGTON CHURCH

A daily vacation Bible School for all youngsters of the community was opened Monday at the Irvington Presbyterian Church and will continue through August 26.

Classes are being held Mondays through Fridays from 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Asa Collins, student pastor, is being assisted by several volunteers in conducting classes in religious education, crafts and music.

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NATIVE DAUGHTERS APPOINT CHAIRMEN

Members of Laura Loma Parlor No. 182, Native Daughters of the Golden West met Tuesday evening at Boliba's Hall in Niles.

Dorothea Rose, president, introduced Mrs. Lauretta Berry, deputy grand president, who was a guest. Mrs. Rose then announced her standing committees for the year. The chairmen of these included: Fleecie Gomes, ways and means; Velma Zimmerman, membership; Ethel Miner, visiting committee; Ivy Cull, publicity.

Mary Fields, homeless children; Irene Bales, scrap book; and Mae Moore, restoration of Vallejo Mills.

The next meeting of the parlor, September 6, will include a social hour under the direction of Erleene Zimmerman, Patricia Rose and Mae Moore.

DAUGHTER FOR DOTSONS

Mrs. Raymond C. Dotson, Niles, gave birth to a daughter, Joann, August 2. Joann weighed seven pounds on arrival.

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Around the Township...

Return from Tahoe

Robert Miller of Centerville and Robert Wendell of San Jose returned home last week from a week's vacation spent at Lake Tahoe.

Bride-to-be Will Be Feted at Party

A luncheon and swimming party will be given on Saturday, August 27, by Mrs. Lynne Stanley in her beautiful Lafayette home in honor of Miss Beryl Byron of Walnut Creek.

Miss Byron, niece of the hostess, will become the bride of Gilbert DeBarba, son of Dr. and Mrs. Frank DeBarba of Centerville, on September 4 at Orinda Catholic Church.

Return from Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rubena and son, Albert, and her mother, Mrs. A. S. Pine, all of Niles, returned last week-end from a ten-day vacation in southern California and Mexico. They spent two days at Riveira Pacifico, B. C., Mexico. Enroute home they spent a day at Catalina Island and attended the Fiesta at Santa Barbara.

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JANET HERMOSO is shown above in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hermoso, Centerville, as she prepared for the July 24 wedding which made her the bride of Daniel Mello of San Francisco. Helping her with the last minute touches is her sister, Mrs. Al Romero, who served as matron of honor.

Kansas Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Waldron and children of Wichita, Kansas, arrived last Thursday for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mandy Mewhinney, Irvington, and her sister, Mrs. Lew Irwin, also of Irvington.

The group first started meeting as volunteer Red Cross workers during the war and since have continued to meet once a month at their homes for dinner and an evening of pinochle.

Vacationists Return

Just back from a two weeks' motoring trip through the northwest are Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pine of Niles and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Escovet of Los Gatos. Their vacation tour included a most enjoyable visit at Yellowstone National Park.

Return from Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Goodwin have returned to their home in Niles after a six weeks' vacation spent touring northern California and Oregon.

Country Club is Being Redecorated

Mrs. Charles Myrick reports that the redecorating and renovating of the Country Club is going satisfactorily and the members delighted with the new kitchen equipment which will be put through its paces on Thursday, August 25.

On Friday Mrs. Thornburg's brother and wife, the L. A. Hubbards of Stockton, came for dinner after which the Hubbards and Thornburgs drove to Oakland to attend the wedding and reception of a cousin, David Hubbard, a resident of Oakland. The ceremony was performed in the Elim Tabernacle.

President Mrs. Myrick announces that reservations are open to any club members who would like to attend.

Promenader Party

A most enjoyable and successful affair was the Irvington Promenaders party last Saturday at the Irvington Elementary School. The Irvington group entertained the Mission San Jose and Alvarado folk dancing units with an evening of dancing and refreshments, the affair being managed by Promenader President N. K. Turnbow and Gus Robertson.

Dance Meeting

The Folk Dancing Federation of California held its regular meeting last Sunday at Guerneville. Locals attending were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rose and daughter, Carol Ann, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Turnbow and daughter, Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Day and Mr. and Mrs. Hocking and daughters.

Reunion at Berchems

Edna Berchem is anticipating with great pleasure a reunion with old friends, Dorothy and Rita Montgomery and Jean Wallace of San Gabriel, who will stop in Niles for the week-end on their way to Clear Lake. Miss Dorothy Montgomery was Mrs. Berchem's roommate in the WAVE training camp at Bloomingdale, Indiana.

Convalescing

Mrs. Dorothy Charness says that her mother, Mrs. Alec Butler, is recovering satisfactorily after an appendectomy.

Mrs. Butler, who lives at 709 Main Street in Niles, was rushed to Alameda Hospital on Thursday night and was operated upon immediately, and expects to come home this week-end.

Vacation in Texas

The Julius Berchems and daughter, Patsy, will leave today for Texas where they will spend a couple of weeks with Mrs. Berchem's aunt, Mrs. L. M. Walton, and Donald Poletti.

The young guests will enjoy a variety of games, ice cream, cake, appropriate decorations; in short, everything that makes for a successful birthday party.

On K. of C. Tour of Eastern States

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Perry of Decoto and Mrs. E. H. Hirsch of Irvington left this week on a two-weeks' tour with the Knights of Columbus Council of San Francisco. The tour includes visits to Washington, D. C., Atlantic City, New York City, Boston, Quebec, Montreal, Niagara Falls, Boys Town (Nebraska) and the Grand Canyon.

Thornburgs Have Very Busy Week

It began on Wednesday when the Robert Zwissigs and the Alan Hirschs dropped in to celebrate with a pot-luck supper the fourteenth wedding anniversary of the Dwight Thornburgs. They wound up the evening with a fast and furious game of Canasta, that new form of rummy that is becoming so popular.

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Saturday found the busy Thornburgs in San Francisco attending a reunion of the Alpha Kappa Phi Fraternity of the College of the Pacific, Mr. Thornburg's alma mater.

With the Jed Oxborrow family, the Thornburgs saw the Sunday performance of the Ice Follies, after which they had dinner at the Tonga Room in the Fairmont Hotel. The children were fascinated by the unique dining room which is built around an artificial lake complete with an island to which the oriental musicians travel by boat to set up shop to the accompaniment of lighting and sound effects which give the illusion of thunder and lightning.

Legion Convention

Washington Township American Legion Post No. 195 has been well represented at the state convention in Long Beach. Among those attending the affair are localites Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Marion Zwissig, Mrs. Stella Benbow, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid, Mr. Frank Veit, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gomes, the newly elected Commander and Second Vice-Commander of Post 195, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Furtado, Mrs. Mary Perry and Mrs. Margaret Jones.

Les Duffey Home

Mr. and Mrs. Les Duffey returned to their home in Niles last Sunday after a most enjoyable three weeks spent at a cattle ranch in Calaveras County. The fishing was very good, the Duffeys and their friends, the Warren Batterlins, catching all the trout they could use.

Long Beach Vacation

Joy Duarte, daughter of the Frank Duartes of Niles, will be home on Tuesday after a two weeks' stay with her aunt, Mrs. Kenneth McDonald of Long Beach. Mrs. McDonald is a former Niles resident.

DORA BLAIR FULLER AND HARRY W. WEBER IN SURPRISE RENO Eloping

Long-time residents of the township, Mrs. Dora Blair Fuller and Harry Weber, both of Centerville, were married on August 17 at St. Thomas Aquinas Cathedral in Reno.

The ceremony, performed by Father Buell, was witnessed by four friends, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fuller of Graeagle and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Olsen of Sacramento.

The wedding party dined at a lodge on the Reno-Lake Tahoe Highway, after which the bride and groom left on a tour of the Northwest. They expect to return here before the first of September.

The honeymoon trip will take

the couple to the home of Mrs. Weber's son, Donald B. Fuller, a rancher at Amity, Oregon.

Upon their return to Centerville they will be entertained at a reception for members of their families at the home of Mr. Weber's daughter, Mrs. Karl E. Nordvik.

Mr. Weber is supervising foreman of Southern Alameda County substations. He has been with the P. G. and E. for over thirty-five years. He is a past president of the Lions Club at Centerville, a member of the Men's Club of Washington Township and has been active in community affairs throughout the township.

WASHINGTON P.T.A. BOARD TO MEET

Mrs. M. E. Amaral, president of Washington Union High School P.T.A., has announced the first executive board meeting to be held in the faculty dining room at 8 p.m. on August 28. On the agenda are plans for this year's program. Refreshments will be served.

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CENTERVILLE

(Continued from Page 3) the rest of the week was spent at the home of Mrs. Rose Ferrier, who is Mrs. Roderick's mother, in Berkeley.

NORTHERN VACATION

Charlie Jones of the Centerville Food Market, and his wife, are vacationing in Oregon and points north.

SURPRISE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ushyima and children, Patricia and Michael, of Chicago, Ill., stopped by to see us last Thursday and it was quite a surprise. Mr. Ushyima, formerly of Centerville and a graduate of Washington High School, is connected with the motion picture industry in Chicago. They visited friends here and in Alameda and were returning home via the Grand Canyon.

SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS

The Edward Agnas were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Manuel Loura of San Francisco.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Bridge-luncheon guests at the Lester Mann residence at Niles, were Mesdames Vernon Brown, Mike Cimino, Ken Berg, Ed Butz, Karl Nordvik, Jud Taylor, Clyde Voorhees, Paul Melvin, Ken Foster, Richard Sparrowe and Miss Joanne Plough of Palo Alto. Mrs. Vincent Kaehler was co-hostess.

LIBRARIAN RETURNS

Mrs. Aldora Pinto, librarian at Alvarado, returned this week from a week's vacation at Yosemite National Park.

The library will be open week days except Thursdays from 1:45 to 5:45 p.m. and on Monday nights from 7:15 to 8:15.

Week-End in Mountains

Mr. and Mrs. George Beardsley of Irvington were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Souza of Centerville at their Santa Cruz Mountain home.

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This year's premiums are divided \$1,821 for livestock exhibitors, \$23,500 for horseshow exhibitors, and in the rodeo a total of \$36,000 will be offered. Total prizes for beef cattle will be \$39,045; dairy cattle, \$20,800; dual purpose cattle, \$3650; swine, \$9975; sheep, \$8351. Rodeo prizes are \$14,000. Grand National purses, \$11,000 International Rodeo Association prizes, and added entry fees, estimated on the basis of previous year's participation at \$11,000.

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AIR NEWS LETTER

Dear Gus:

It has been some time since I sent you the low-down on the local "Hot-Rocks" but leave us not procrastinate with the idle chatter but get down to cases, what makes with the Junior Birdmen and the box-top racket. The boys have been very active this summer and nearly every week end they make like a bird and come back with the usual line, "There I was with one gallon of gas and nothing but fog and scenery in sight. So I walked home from Pleasanton." That sounds like Ernie Frick and Doc Wilson who hold the walk home record between them which is about par for the course.

Joe and Mrs. Andrade flew the Yellow Peril over to Concord for the air show last Sunday. Joe had to fly over our local fog to get over the hills and our flying shorts, Shorty Stammet and "J. Edgar" Higuera, were all set for a pinch but Joe convinced them that the Yellow Peril flies strictly from memory and no instruments are necessary.

One of the big events of the season was the Center Field Pilots flight to Hobergs for a large sized week-end. Those who enjoyed the swimming, dancing and refreshments were John and Edna Bernheim, Ray and Ella Jolliff, Everett Mendenhall, Joe Andrade, Clyde and Ruth Higuera, Neils Neilsen, Klem Klemens, Max Stevenson, John and Rose Blanchard, Dr. Tom and Bernice Wilson, Walter and June Stammet. Due to wind conditions at the mountain air field at Hobergs, it was necessary for co-pilot Ruth Higuera to take over the controls and get the "Miss Patsy" down on the field in one piece.

"Low Gear" wanted to take the bus from Santa Rosa but Ruth showed him that you can't beat science with brute strength. Johnny Brahmst flew up to Hobergs Tuesday evening and was back to work early Wednesday morning. Vernon Ellsworth was enjoying a vacation and doing all right until then, but Johnny figured that the younger generation needs guidance and counsel.

We finally got George Bonde Sr. up in an airplane. But he always does things the hard way. You may remember George Richards, the peerless flyer and local boy who made good in the big time. You guessed it. Capt. George Richards toolled in a big sleek Army plane on the local field and got himself a customer right now. The two Georges did a very beautiful buzz job on the surrounding terrain and Joe McInerney's cows now give milk shakes flavored with

if the "Yellow Peril" holds together, Neils will continue to bend that throttle on the outbound. Coming home he "just don't care" and Klem sleeps in the back seat.

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In 1947 over 1,000 people attended open house. Following the plant tour this year, refreshments will be served.

MRS. JOE BROWN RESIGNS FROM LIBRARY POSITION

Mrs. Rose Brown, wife of Joe Brown, Warm Springs postmaster, has resigned her job as branch librarian to become a postal clerk for her husband.

Mrs. Brown was the local librarian